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Note verbale dated 6 August 1997 from the Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space,* has the honour to transmit information concerning the launching of satellite INSAT-2D (see annex).

*General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex, of 12 November 1974.

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Annex

REGISTRATION DATA FOR INDIAN SPACE LAUNCHES*

Name of launching State or States:	India
An appropriate designator of the space object or its registration number:	INSAT-2D
Date of launch:	4 June 1997
Location of launch:	Centre Spatial Guyanais (CGS), Kourou, French Guiana
Basic orbital parameters: (Geostationary orbit)	Nodal period: 1,436 minutes Longitude: 74.0 ± 0.1 degrees East Inclination: <0.1 degrees Apogee radius: 42,188 km from the center of the Earth Perigee radius: 42,142 km from the center of the Earth
Launch vehicle:	Arianespace Flight V97
General function of space object:	INSAT-2D is a multipurpose satellite and will provide the following services: Domestic telecommunication services Direct satellite broadcasting Radio and TV programme distribution Mobile satellite services

*The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.